

# **CRANSTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEETING**

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2004**

**WESTERN HILLS MIDDLE SCHOOL**

**400 PHENIX AVENUE**

**EXECUTIVE SESSION: 6:00 P.M.**

**PUBLIC SESSION: 7:00 P.M.**

## **AGENDA**

### **I. COMMUNICATIONS**

### **II. COMMITTEE REPORTS**

### **III. SPEAKERS – Agenda Items**

### **IV. MINUTES OF MEETING – September 1, 2004**

### **V. RESOLUTIONS**

#### **ADMINISTRATION**

##### **PERSONNEL**

**NO. 04-9-24 – RESOLVED, that at the recommendation of the Superintendent, the**

**following certified personnel be appointed for the 2004-2005 school year:**

**Kathleen E. Brown, salary to be at the tenth step plus Masters of the prevailing salary schedule**

**Education - Cortland State, B.A.; James Madison University, M.S.**

**Experience - Trudeau Center**

**Certification - Speech/ Language Pathologist**

**Assignment – Itinerant, .9 FTE**

**Effective Date of Employment - September 20, 2004**

**Authorization - Replacement**

**Fiscal Note: 14732021 512100**

**NO. 04-9-25 - RESOLVED, that at the recommendation of the Superintendent, the following certified personnel be appointed as substitutes on a temporary basis as needed:**

**Susan Bradshaw    Secondary English**

**Jennifer L Cafferty    Elementary/Special Education**

**Kimberly A. Devany    Elementary/Middle Special Education**

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**John A. Disumma, Jr.    Physical Education (PK-12)**

**Joan Goyette    Elementary (K-5)**

**Emily A. Hogg    Elementary/Middle Special Education**

**Catherine M. Mitchell    Elementary**

**Joanne E. Mourachian    Elementary/Middle Special Education**

**Christopher J. Wilson    Secondary Business**

**Melissa L. Lawrence    Elementary**

**Melanie E. Levesque    Elementary**

**Mary Lou Gill-Carlomusto    Speech Pathologist**

**Kristy M. Belanger    Elementary**

**Kristen Ann Barry    Elementary**

**George Haddad    Elementary**

**Margaret A. Lax    Elementary**

**Ryan Muir    General Subject (K-12)**

**Joyce E. Boyd    Library (K-12)**

**Christopher E. Welch    General Subject (K-12)**

**Michelle Lombardi    Elementary (1-6)**

**Patricia Van Pattern    General Subject (K-12)**

**Erin Hicks    Elementary (1-6)**

**Andrea Saccoccio    Health and Physical Education (PK-12)**

**Erin B. Soche    General Subject (K-12)**

**Brian Ziman    Elementary (1-6)**

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**Lisa A. Franchitto    General Subject (K-12)**

**Jessie M. Duroe    Elementary (1-6)**

**Jonathan A. Watterson    Physical Education/Health Education**

**Matthew Gagliano    Physical Education**

**Courtney Carbone    Elementary (1-6)**

**Erin Feeley    Elementary (K-6)**

**Linda A. Lang    Elementary/Special Education (1-6)**

**Kristin Morgan    Elementary (PK-2)**

**Paul Perentin    Middle/Secondary English**

**NO. 04-9-26 - RESOLVED, that at the recommendation of the Superintendent, the following certified personnel be granted a Military Leave of Absence without compensation as provided in Article XIX, Section B of the working agreement between the Cranston School Committee and the Cranston Teachers' Alliance, Local 1704, AFT:**

**Dennis Mendes, Teacher**

**Cranston High School West**

**Effective Date: October 4, 2004 to April 4, 2006**

**NO. 04-9-27 – RESOLVED, that at the recommendation of the Superintendent, the retirement of the following certified personnel be accepted:**

**Lynn M. DeLucia, Guidance**

**Cranston High School East**

**Effective Date: June 30, 2005**

**Monica Norigian, Resource Teacher**

**Cranston High School East**

**Effective Date: June 30, 2005**

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**NO. 04-9-28 – RESOLVED, that at the recommendation of the Superintendent, the resignation of the following certified personnel be accepted:**

**Brigitte M. Casey, Occupational Therapist**

**Itinerant**

**Effective Date: September 24, 2004**

**NO. 04-9-29 – RESOLVED, that at the recommendation of the Superintendent, the resignation of the following coach be accepted:**

**James Gemma, Assistant Boys' Basketball**

**Cranston High School West**

**Effective Date: September 1, 2004**

**NO. 04-9-30 – RESOLVED, that at the recommendation of the Superintendent, the following non-certified employees be appointed:**

**Sheila W. Wooten, Instructor**

**Alternative Education**

**Effective Date of Employment - September 1, 2004**

**Fiscal Note: 16278712 512100**

**Alberta Beaulier, 3 Hour Food Service Worker**

**Food Service**

**Effective Date of Employment - August 26, 2004**

**Fiscal Note: 31047179 511000**

**Heather Smith, 3 Hour Food Service Worker**

**Food Service**

**Effective Date of Employment - August 26, 2004**

**Fiscal Note: 32147179 511000**

**Roberta Randall, 3 Hour Food Service Worker**

**Food Service**

**Effective Date of Employment - August 26, 2004**

**Fiscal Note: 30847179 511000**

**Nilda Silverio, 3 Hour Food Service Worker**

**Food Service**

**Effective Date of Employment - August 26, 2004**

**Fiscal Note: 31347179 511000**

**Ann Oller, 3 Hour Food Service Worker**

**Food Service**

**Effective Date of Employment - August 26, 2004**

**Fiscal Note: 31747179 511000**

**Kathleen Maine, 3 Hour Food Service Worker**

**Food Service**

**Effective Date of Employment - August 26, 2004**

**Fiscal Note: 32447179 511000**

**Rene Blanchette, 3 Hour Food Service Worker**

**Food Service**

**Effective Date of Employment - August 26, 2004**

**Fiscal Note: 32647179 511000**

**Donna Simoneau, 3 Hour Food Service Worker**

**Food Service**

**Effective Date of Employment - August 26, 2004**

**Fiscal Note: 32947179 511000**

**Suzanne Caldwell, 3 Hour Food Service Worker**

**Food Service**



**Effective Date of Employment: September 8, 2004**

**Fiscal Note: 32347179 511000**

**Theresa Oladele, 3 Hour Food Service Worker**

**Food Service**

**Effective Date of Employment - September 7, 2004**

**Fiscal Note: 31347179 511000**

**Carol D'Arezzo, 3 Hour Food Service Worker**

**Food Service**

**Effective Date of Employment - August 26, 2004**

**Fiscal Note: 33047179 511000**

**NO. 04-9-31 – RESOLVED, that at the recommendation of the Superintendent, the following non-certified personnel be appointed as substitutes on a temporary basis as needed:**

**SECRETARIES**

**Mary English**

**Rosemary Ellinwood**

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**TEACHER ASSISTANTS**

**Terry Phelps**

**Erin Wilson**

**Lori Lake**

**Mary J. Fontaine**

**Lori Johnson**

**Karen Paquette**

**BUS DRIVERS**

**Jane Notardonato**

**Erick Wentzel**

**Miguel Bermudez**

**CUSTODIAN**

**Louis Bianco**

**NO. 04-9-32 – RESOLVED, that at the recommendation of the Superintendent, the retirement of the following non-certified personnel be accepted:**

**Katherine Plante, Bus Aide**

**Effective Date: October 29, 2004**

**NO. 04-9-33 – RESOLVED, that at the recommendation of the Superintendent, the resignations of the following non-certified personnel be accepted:**

**Karen Ferreira, Case Manager**

**Adult Education**

**Effective Date - August 30, 2004**

**Ann Gail Mitchell, Library Secretary**

**Library Media Services**

**Effective Date - September 2, 2004**

**Paula Knowles, Bus Driver**

**Transportation**

**Effective Date - September 7, 2004**

**Dorie Ferry, 3 Hour Food Service Worker**

**Food Service**

**Effective Date - September 1, 2004**

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**Theresa Hartman, 3 Hour Food Service Worker**

**Food Service**

**Effective Date - September 1, 2004**

**Loretta Mignanelli, 3 Hour Food Service Worker**

**Food Service**

**Effective Date - September 1, 2004**

**Donna Rachels, 3 Hour Food Service Worker**

**Food Service**

**Effective Date - September 1, 2004**

**Celia Ricci, 3 Hour Food Service Worker**

**Food Service**

**Effective Date - August 18, 2004**

**Maryann Petrella, 3 Hour Food Service Worker**

**Food Service**

**Effective Date - August 18, 2004**

**Isabella LeVasseur, 3 Hour Food Service Worker**

**Food Service**

**Effective Date - September 1, 2004**

**Annette Brown, 3 Hour Food Service Worker**

**Food Service**

**Effective Date - September 1, 2004**

**Lucille Marfeo, 3 Hour Food Service Worker**

**Food Service**

**Effective Date - August 23, 2004**

**Rita Wilson, 3 Hour Food Service Worker**

**Food Service**

**Effective Date - September 1, 2004**

**NO. 04-9-34 – RESOLVED, that at the recommendation of the Superintendent, named non-certified staff members be laid off from their respective positions due to budgetary reasons.**

**NO. 04-9-35 – RESOLVED, that at the recommendation of the Superintendent, the termination of Employee B be accepted:**

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## **BUSINESS**

**NO. 04-9-36 - RESOLVED, that the following purchases be approved:**

**General Supplies for annual orders in the amount of \$35,236.63.**

**Number of bids issued 29**

**Number of bids received 13**

**Computer Supplies in the amount of \$39,257.37.**

**Number of bids issued 37**

**Number of bids received 16**

## **POLICY AND PROGRAM**

**NO. 04-9-37 - RESOLVED, that at the recommendation of the**

**Superintendent, the following Conferences/Field Trips of Long Duration be authorized:**

**Leslie McIver-Hauquitz, vision resource teacher at Western Hills Middle School, to travel to Newport, Rhode Island to attend the Breaking Barriers Professional Organization Conference from November 8, 2004 to November 10, 2004.**

**Donald Frederick, Principal of Cranston High School East, to travel to Plymouth South High School in Massachusetts to be the Assistant Chair of the NEASC Visitation Team which will allow him to remain current in the NEASC accreditation process from October 24, 2004 to October 27, 2004.**

**Richard Lepore, music teacher at Cranston High School East, and approximately seventy-three students to travel to Toronto, Canada to participate in the “Festival of Music” competition from April 20, 2005 to April 24, 2005.**

**Christopher Haskins, Principal of Glen Hills Elementary School, to attend a SALT Visit from October 4, 2004 to October 8, 2004 at the Washington Oak Elementary School, in Coventry, Rhode Island.**

**VI. SPEAKERS – Non-agenda Items**

**VII. ADJOURN TO WORK SESSION**

## **1. Discussion Regarding Energy Education, Inc.**

**School Committee members who are unable to attend this meeting are asked to notify the Chairwoman in advance.**

**Notice Posted: September 15, 2004**